



### **PROPOSED AGENDA ITEM RATIONALE**

**TO:** Matthew L. Blomstedt, Ph.D.  
Commissioner of Education

**FROM:** Scott Summers, Legal Counsel III

**PROPOSED AGENDA ITEM:** Adopt the proposed hearing draft of Rule 19 and grant the Commissioner the authority to set a date, time and place for the hearing and appoint a hearing officer to conduct the hearing on behalf of the State Board.

### **RATIONALE/BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

**Background information** – The PURPOSE of the proposed revisions to RULE 19 are to harmonize a provision in the Rule regarding homeless students with changes made to 79-215 R.R.S. by LB 525 in 2015, and make other minor clarifications in language.

**ESTIMATED COST:** \$650 to publish notice in paper and print the new rule